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SUBJECT: DJIBOUTI ON IRAN'S HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL CANDIDACY

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Classified By: CLASSIFIED BY POLOFF CHRISTOPHER PATCH  
FOR REASONS 1.4 (B) AND (D)

[1](#)1. (C) 1. Poloff delivered demarche per reftel to Nasser Mohammed Hassan, the Assistant Director for Bilateral Affairs in charge of America/Europe at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Hassan said he could not give an official response, as all other Ministry of Foreign Affairs officials are currently on leave, but would urgently forward the information. Hassan indicated that Djibouti usually follows the OIC on issues regarding Iran, since both Djibouti and Iran are members of the OIC.  
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